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RAILROAD SHOPS WILL BE REBUILT; WORK BEGINS ON OLD SITE.

L., H. & St. L. R. R. Company Completes Plans for Rebuilding Their Shops.—Cloverport People Rejoicing.

PRESIDENT HUDSON HERE

R. N. Hudson, president and general manager of the L., H. & St. L. R'y. Company, was here Thursday and announced that definite plans have been made to rebuild the shops which burned at this place March 13. Work has already begun on their site at the West End of this city.

Every body in Cloverport and all over the county are rejoicing that the L., H. & St. L. R'y. shops will be rebuilt here, as it would have taken the heart out of Cloverport and even Breckenridge county, had the Henderson Route moved its home to another city.

For the last fifteen years the L., H. & St. L. R'y. shops has been quite a home institution for most of the employees during that time have been young men, who were born and reared in Cloverport and now own their homes here. The majority of employees who have come from other places, caught the home spirit and bought nice residences. For this reason the citizens of

Cloverport are particularly glad that the shops are being rebuilt, as it would have been the breaking up of many homes had the plant been moved to another city.

Frank Ferry, master mechanic of the L., H. & St. L., has had his office on the grounds ever since the fire and much necessary work has been done, giving employment to many. However, several of the men, oldest in the Henderson Route service, were sent to Louisville where they are working for the road in the L. & N. shops.

"Will the shops be rebuilt in Cloverport?" This question has been asked hundreds of times since March 14, and now that it is answered, the business men are more optimistic than they have been for years. With new railroad shops, Cloverport will take on new life in a business way. The citizens are very appreciative to all those responsible for the decision to rebuild the shops in this city.

ONE MILLION PEOPLE

IN THE

Sunday-Schools of Kentucky May 7, 1916

You owe it to yourself and your State to attend Sunday School on May 7th. If you find there any good for yourself, or any opportunity to do good for another, become a permanent member.

KENTUCKY SUNDAY SCHOOL ASSOCIATION

A MEETING FRIDAY FOR ALL INTERESTED

Some outside persons are negotiating with me to rent the Breckenridge Fair Grounds. I prefer to turn same over to county men, if desired. Several local people have consulted me and evidenced an interest since Mr. Babbage's editorial and the Record Press notice. It has been suggested that a meeting be called for Friday, May 5, at 1:30 p. m., in my office, to see what can or should be done.

I have the grounds and would be glad to rent them, of course. I am willing to help someone else have a fair, and urge every man interested as a renter, exhibitor, purchaser of grounds, or otherwise, to see me on or before Friday, as I am going to make some disposition of same. Truly,

VIC ROBERTSON.

DESTRUCTIVE FIRE IN OWENBORO

Four Firemen Injured When Roof Fell in While Fighting the Blaze—Damage Amounts to \$40,000.

STORES WILL REOPEN SOON.

Fire in the business district of Owensboro Thursday evening, April 27, did damage to the amount of \$40,000 before the flames were under control. The fire which started in the dry goods store of Frank C. Brown, on Second street, jumped to the building of Andrew Bresler, a harness and buggy dealer, at the rear of the Brown store, and facing on Allen street. The loss to the Brown store is estimated at \$16,000, and had \$9,500 insurance on the stock and fixtures. Mr. Bresler's loss will amount to \$7,000.

The Manufacturers' Department Store, adjoining the Brown store on Second street, was flooded, and a \$16,000 stock of goods ruined. The Fair, a millinery store, was also damaged.

Four firemen were injured while standing on a roof, which fell in. Two of the men were rendered unconscious and badly cut.

The Brown store will be opened again as soon as a location can be found.

LINCOLN AT A DEATHBED.

When "God and Eternity and Heaven Were Very Near."

We made a pilgrimage to see an old retired army officer who had been a journeyman printer in an office in Springfield, Ill., and one of Lincoln's intimate acquaintances and asked him to tell us a story that the magazines and books had not found. He told this: "One day Lincoln asked me to ride fifteen miles out in the country with him and become a witness to a will he was to write for a woman on her deathbed. When the will had been signed and witnessed the woman asked him if he would not read a few verses out of the Bible to her. They offered him the book, but he did not take it, but began reciting from memory the Twenty-third Psalm, laying especial emphasis upon 'Though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death I will fear no evil, for thou art with me; thy rod and thy staff they comfort me.' Without the book he took up the first part of the fourteenth of John, 'In my Father's house are many mansions.' After he had given these and other quotations from the Scriptures he recited several hymns, closing with 'Rock of Ages, Cleft For Me.'"

"I thought at the time I had never heard any eulogist speak with such ease or power as he did. I am an old man now, but my heart melts, as it did then in that death chamber, as I remember how with a pathos truly divine he spoke the last stanza beginning, 'While I draw this fleeting breath.' The woman died while we were there."

"Riding home, I expressed surprise that he should have acted as pastor as well as attorney so perfectly, and he replied, 'God and eternity and heaven were very near to me today.'—Christian Herald.

Another Cause For Joy.

A young woman living in a village near Columbus became engaged recently to a young man. The girl's name for the sake of this tale shall be Jones and that of the young man Jackson. She called at the home of a young matron friend to break the news.

"Oh, I'm so happy!" said the young matron. "And just to think, your embroidery initials won't have to be changed!"—Columbus Dispatch.

Misled.

"That is Mr. Jiggs of our operating department," explained the railroad man. "Oh, the mean old thing!" exclaimed the sweet young thing. "He told me he was a railroad man, and I suspected all along that he was a doctor."—Buffalo Express.

Domestic Efficiency.

"Does your wife scold when you get home late?" "No. She dictates to a phonograph and lets me have it the next day when I'm wide awake."—Life.


Power of Tears.

"It's better to laugh than to cry," said the young girl brightly. "Not if you're trying to manage a husband," said the woman.—London Telegraph.

The sweetest joy, the wildest woe, is love.—Bailey.

Why Suffer From Colds?

"Wedding's Cold Tablets" will break that cold in a very short time. 25c at Wedding's Drug Store.

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W. J. ROBERTSON,

Of Glen Dean, Writes in Reply to County Attorney's Article Recently Published on Road Bonds.

Dear Mr. Babbage: Having recently read our County Attorney's article in your paper in regard to calling for road bonds, it seems to me that there is a better way than this. Should there be an election called, who would vote on the issue? The voters of the county, of course. But who will pay the tax, the property holders to be sure; thus allowing people to vote that never would pay a cent of the tax. It seems to me that the tax-payers of the railroad district at least would fight such an election to the last ditch, for we are now paying a tax that was voted on by voters who have never been called to pay one cent of this tax because they have no property.

If it is necessary to call such an election, then allow the voters affected by such bond issue to vote on it. This road proposition, as Mr. Murray says, has been worked many ways, but I think never properly in the first place. There is a road supervisor that I think the tax payers would be much better off without. He certainly has done but little toward the betterment of the roads in our section.

Now, I for one, am in favor of doing away with the supervisor and having the County Judge appoint an overseer on each road and give each overseer the money paid on his road, and such overseer give bond for said amount, and have him to turn in an itemized account to said County Judge; also said overseer to serve without pay, hence giving the road the benefit of the whole amount. It seems to me when a crew of men know they are getting all the tax money they pay that they would take more interest in their roads, but as it is now, many of the roads do not get a cent, which to say the least, is very unjust. I know some few public spirited men have donated some on their roads in order to get help from the county, and a great many more that should have done so, but it has ever been the case that few have the burden to bear.

J. G. Moorman and myself have pulled the grader free of charge for the past two years—hailed it from the Falls of Rough—and what have we received from the county? Four culverts. Hence I think justice demands that every road have its own tax money. Let's toy giving the tax-payer the benefit of his taxes without having so many take-outs, and see if the roads won't be found in better condition in one year from now.

Yours for good roads, and willing to give as much free labor as I feel justified in doing.

Respectfully,

W. J. Robertson,
Glen Dean, Ky.

Thos. Rogers Complimented.

Miss Louise Nicholas entertained a number of her friends Friday evening at her home in the West End. The guest of honor was Thomas Rogers, of Bowling Green, who is visiting in Cloverport. Mr. Rogers being a splendid musician, furnished the music, and any games were played which helped to make the evening interesting and enjoyable. Refreshments were served later in the evening.

Hardin County Citizen

Dies in Louisville.

J. S. Bogard, a well known citizen of Hardin county, died Friday afternoon at his home in Louisville, where he had resided for the past year. Death followed a six months illness of dropsy of the heart.

He was born and reared at Stithton, Ky., and lived in Hardin county practically all his life.

His body was brought to Stithton Saturday and the funeral services were held at the Bloomington church.

Hon. Ed Morrow to

Lecture at Hardinsburg.

The Hon. Ed Morrow, of Somerset, will deliver his popular lecture, "On the Trial of Jesus," at Hardinsburg next Monday night, May 8, for the benefit of the Parsonage Society of the Baptist church of Hardinsburg. Mr. Morrow is a pleasant and entertaining speaker and should have a full house.

Enjoying Pure Air.

W. F. Chelf, of California, is sojourning at the beautiful home of Mrs. Ollie Priest, his sister-in-law, near Garfield. Mr. Chelf is a brother of the late Judge Weed Chelf, so well known to the people of Breckenridge. Mr. Chelf is there for his health, and says the fresh, pure air of Breckenridge is doing him good. It will do any man, woman or child good who will stay with it long enough.

Mrs. R. T. Dempster Ill.

Mrs. R. T. Dempster, wife of Dr. R. T. Dempster, of Glen Dean, is critically ill at her home. Physicians have not been able to diagnose her case, it being a peculiar one. She was no better when last heard from Monday.

School Teachers Named.

The trustees of the Cloverport High and Graded School at a meeting Friday evening re-elected all the teachers, except one, as members of the faculty for next year, and have chosen Miss Lenora McGavock to succeed Miss Evelyn Young.

CATTLE PRICES LOWER

Day's Decline Average 25c.
One Load of Cattle Sells at \$8.75. Hogs Up a Dime.

The decline in the cattle prices at the Louisville stock yards Monday, averaged twenty-five cents; and in some instances as much as forty cents was taken off former quotations. There were no prime finished steers on sale, but a good number of the medium were on hand.

The top price on steers was realized on a load of fancy baby beefs, averaging 689 pounds, from Marion county, when that lot sold at the high price of \$8.75. The best handy weight butchers were best sellers at ten to fifteen cents decline.

The hog market advanced a dime throughout the list. Choice corn fed hogs, 165 pounds and up, \$9.75; 120 to 165 pounds, \$9; pigs \$7.20 to \$7.95; roughs, \$8.75 down. Calf receipts were 158 head. Best veals brought 7½c to 8c; medium, 6c to 7½c; common, 4c to 6c.

Celebration in Lexington.

There will be a "Suffrage Parade" in Lexington May 6. After the parade there will be speaking at "Cheapside." All good suffragists are urged to attend.

Notice.

All persons having claims against the selling committee of the F. E. & C. U. of A. of the 1909 crop of red tobacco, sold to Pete Sheeran, Bro. & Co. March 20, 1910, will present same, properly proven, to W. J. Ballman, chairman, on or before June 3. A meeting is called for June 3, 1916, at West View, Ky., at one o'clock. All persons having tobacco in said pool are hereby notified to be present to pass on said claims.

W. J. Ballman,
E. H. Tucker,
H. J. Hayes,
Committee.

An Enterprising Citizen.

Sam Dix went to Louisville Monday and bought a car load of cattle for W. J. Schoop. Mr. Dix has a fine lot of grass to put these cattle on and he and Mr. Schoop will divide the profits. Mr. Schoop is one of the most enterprising men in Stephensonport. He puts his money into enterprises that help his neighbors and the community. He is always ready and willing to help those who help themselves.

Makes a Record Trip.

J. W. Storms, of McDaniels, made a quick business trip to Owensboro Monday. He was summoned to serve on the U. S. grand jury. He left home Monday morning, was made foreman of the jury, tried a case, was discharged, and got back to Glen Dean Monday night. He says they move things in the U. S. Court.

Accepts Position in

Houston, Texas.

Bowmer Burks, of Louisville, who has been working with the Standard Manufacturing Company in that city for some time, has recently been made manager and has taken charge of their branch house in Houston, Texas.

Mr. Burks is the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Bowmer, of this city, and has many friends who wish him success.

Get a Small Reduction.

The committee composed of Judge D. D. Dowell, H. M. Beard and Paul Compton, who went to Frankfort to appear before the State Board of Equalization, succeeded in getting a reduction of 5 per cent on town lots and 2 per cent on farm lands and personal property.

Commissioner's Sale.

Commissioner Walls sold at the courthouse door Monday, April 24, the Ada Stone property in Constantine to Jeff Hudson for \$1,350. The Milt Miller farm of 415 acres to Thos. Rogers for Joe T. Sands for \$4,475.

Irvington Woman Honored.

Irvington, May 1.—Mrs. Margaret Chamberlain has been elected State delegate to the Biennial Federation of Women's Clubs which will be held in New York City from May 22 to June 1. Mrs. C. L. Martin, of Louisville, and Mrs. Chamberlain have rooms at the Astor House during the occasion.

Home Market Best.

Frank Carter has sold his hogs, lambs and wool for July delivery to Beard Bros. His hogs sold on a 60 cent margin; lambs 8 cents, and wool at 35 cents. Mr. Carter says it is more satisfactory to sell at home, and that Beard Bros. treat him right.

Exaggerated Optimism.

"Bliggins is trying to be an optimist." "The last time I saw him he thought everything was going to smash." "He thinks so yet. But he's getting into a frame of mind that makes him suspect that maybe he'll enjoy seeing it happen."—Washington Star.

Unavailable.

A man very much intoxicated was taken to the station. "Why did you not bail him out?" Inquired a bystander of a friend. "Bail him out!" exclaimed the other. "Why, you couldn't pump him out."—Philadelphia Press.

Her Castle.

Elsie was naughty, and her mother was driven to box her ears soundly in the very presence of a couple of visiting aunts. Through her tears she sobbed, "And this is the sort of thing one must endure in one's own house."—New York Post.

Playing a Sure Thing.

Cynicus—Those two men are both in love with her, and I'll wager the wrong fellow will get her. Sillicus—Which one? Cynicus—It doesn't matter which.—Judge.

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THE BATTLE CRY "VOTE BONDS FOR GOOD ROADS"

Hardinsburg, Ky., May 1.—Again as a humble servant of the people, I have the privilege, through the interest and generosity of the editor, to call your attention to the "Good Roads Bond Proposition." I tried in my former article to explain in few words the conditions that confront our county pertaining to roads. I shall give you my ideas as to the remedy for said conditions:

The remedy is in the hands of the voters of our county; and by a vote on the question of roads is the only remedy for our bad roads. Thirty years or more of the tax money, at the rate of approximately \$5,000 per year, and all the free labor in those years, is lost and gone for naught. In thirty years \$240,000 of tax money has been spent and we still have practically the same old roads. Vote \$240,000 for road purposes—the same amount you have expended in thirty years, with nothing to show for it, including all free labor—and expend this sum at once in a cautious, judicial and lawful manner, and then see the result. No graft can creep in if six commissioners are appointed and chosen, one good reputable citizen from each Magisterial district, as a committee to handle this fund according to law. This plan is being followed by nearly fifty counties that have voted bonds.

Are we going to sit still, with hands folded, as in the past, and do nothing to change the situation? Just growl from year to year and yell at your neighbor, and "cuss" the Fiscal Court and all other county officials about the conditions of the roads. I candidly believe that when you investigate the question, you will at once unfold your arms, take off your coat, and go to work to call an election for a vote on road bonds, and if any yelling or "cussing" is done, it will be in favor of bonds for good roads. You would not expect your merchant to sell you a good suit of clothes for \$2.98. Neither can you expect 1,200 miles of public road to be sustained with \$5,000.

The law pertaining to the voting of bonds is plain and easily understood. I refer you to one section of Kentucky Statutes—Section 4,307—that will explain most of the law. I shall quote parts of said section:

"The Fiscal Court shall have the power to issue and sell bonds... within constitutional limitations... bonds to bear not to exceed 5 per cent interest. Bonds to be not less than \$100 nor more than \$1,000. Bonds to run not less than 5 years, nor more than 30 years. Election can be called by petition of 150 land owners of the county, filed with the county judge.... Tax to be levied not to exceed 30 cents on \$100 worth of property...."

We will not have to levy 30 cents to the hundred dollars to carry \$240,000. A far less per cent will be ample. Of course the question of amount of bonds will be controlled by the sentiment of the people. The way to get this proposition started is to have your county judge make a call for a "Great Mass Meeting" of all the citizens of the county to meet with the Fiscal Court, discuss this matter, and draft the proper petition calling for an election on the question, and other matters that are vital to the question. This method has been successfully followed in all counties voting bonds. The election can be had sixty days after petition is filed in County Court.

Mr. Farmer, Mr. Liveryman, Mr. Citizen, how often have you been delayed in past few years by a breakdown on the road at a great expense to you? Most of you will answer, "several times." Have you stopped to think that the one breakdown cost you more than your taxes would be, if we had the money to fix our roads, by reason of a bond issue? Have you figured the costs and extra labor to deliver your farm products to market? Yes, I feel sure you have, but have never given the bond question much thought. If you had I am sure bonds would have brought us good roads, some years ago, at least. Our neighbor county, Ohio, votes shortly on this question. More than one-half of the counties have road bonds.

Mr. Citizen, are you going to sleep the next thirty years (Rip Van Winkle Act) when the remedy is now in your

hands? And made so by the law makers of our State. Don't let next winter come without having taken the only step by which good roads are obtainable under the conditions in our county. If you fail to take up this matter and push it to a successful ending, kindly don't fuss and kick about bad roads; just take your medicine.

I sincerely hope, for the good of our county, that every citizen will at once urge the county judge to call this "Mass Meeting," and have the Fiscal Court present at the time set. I hope the farmers and merchants in each precinct in the county will join hands with all other citizens and push the matter. All the words written or spoken in the past ten years of the advantages of good roads financially, morally, educationally, or socially, has only briefly told the story. I hope the ladies of our county will lend their influence in this "Good Cause."

Respectfully submitted,
HAL C. MURRAY,
County Attorney Breckenridge County.

Rheumatism.

If you are troubled with chronic or muscular rheumatism give Chamberlain's Liniment a trial. The relief from pain which it affords is alone worth many times its cost. Obtainable everywhere.

McQUADY.

Go to Sunday School next Sunday.

Miss Volie Clark, of Glen Dean, was the guest of Phoebe Frank Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Taul, Mrs. Ellen Bates and Roba Taul spent Sunday with.

Miss Ressie Shrewsbury was the guest of Misses Mary and Sudie Bates Sunday.

Cora Lee Ray was the week-end guest of Eva Wright.

Mrs. Nannie Lyons and daughter, Marcella, returned home from Louisville Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Ball, Olive Ball, George Ball and Frank Pate spent Easter Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Frank.

Mr. and Mrs. Gabe Shrewsbury have moved in the house with his mother, Mrs. Emma Shrewsbury.

Both men and women are very busy planting gardens, weaving carpets, papering and house cleaning. Too busy to care for their little children—the most important thing. Some give them work at home and care for them, while others turn them loose on the town. Some little boys must take a cow with them to watch. The boys play marbles; the cow goes in the yard and garden, which cause rough words, as they destroy many things. Don't blame the child, lay it to their training. What is in the hearts and minds of parents? If they beat and curse, the child will become more naughty. Kind and loving words, ruled by the power of God, will right things always.

Our Grandfathers

drenched horses for colic. That was the old way which was uncertain and unsafe. Farris' Colic Remedy does away with drenching—is applied on the horse's tongue with a dropper which comes packed in each bottle. Get it today. We Guarantee it. Wedding's Drug Store.

STEPHENSPORT.

Go to Sunday School next Sunday.

Miss Hale, of Addison, was the guest of Miss Cecil Dix Thursday.

W. J. Schopp was in Louisville last week.

H. A. Dutschke and family spent Sunday at Holt with his father, Julius Dutschke.

Rev. Russell Walker attended the Fifth Sunday Meeting at Irvington.

Dr. O. E. Ferguson and family have moved into Mrs. O. W. Dowell's property.

Jim McMillen, of Evansville, Ind., is visiting his mother, Mrs. McMillen.

Miss Belva J. French went to Kingswood Friday to attend the commencement exercises.

Mrs. S. W. Davis, of Mystic, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Sim Brown Sunday.

Bill Stewart, of Tell City, Ind., is visiting relatives here this week.

Mrs. M. L. Wegenast attended the commencement exercises at Kingswood.

Wm. Stephenson, of Magnet, Ind., is the guest of his brother, Dr. R. I. Stephenson.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Jess Merritt, a girl, April 27.

Mrs. Edd Stiles, of Oklahoma, is the guest of relatives here this week.



A HIKER'S PRIDE.

Black and white checked suiting is cleverly tailored to produce this jaunty costume with a bobbed jacket and rather full, plain skirt. The coat's fullness has been ended in an interesting gusset that buttons down onto the front. The high collar, the vestee and pointed cuffs give an attractive color note in an illuminated embroidery, which is repeated on the band of the modified tam so smart with its winery brush atop. For young ladies this suit will give the best of satisfaction both for style and durability.

Sam H. Dix was in Louisville Monday.

J. W. Jarrett, Jr., cashier of a bank at Dover, Ark., after attending the State Bankers' Association at Little Rock arrived here Thursday for a two weeks visit with his mother, Mrs. Syrena Jarrett, and relatives.

Feel languid, weak, run down? Headache? Stomach "off"? A good remedy is Burdock Blood Bitters. Ask your druggist. Price \$1.00.

HILL ITEMS.

If solid happiness we prize, Within our heart this jewel lies; And they are fools who roam, The world has nothing to bestow; From our own selves our joys must flow And that dear hut—our home. —Cotton.

The Government work was resumed at Dam 43 last Thursday. Mrs. Arthur Daugherty and baby, Laura May, left here to join her husband at that place, where they expect to make their home for the summer.

Dr. Parish was called to see David Allen last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Will McCoy have moved into the house vacated by Mr. and Mrs. Hanks who moved in with Mrs. Will Morton.

H. M. Basham made a business trip to Cloverport last Wednesday.

Mrs. Lounie Ray, although not in her usual health, is very much improved.

Harland Dunn and mother have moved into one of Joe Mullen's houses.

Mrs. Robert Pierce was down from Louisville last week and was on the hill among relatives and friends.

Vane Pate, of Louisville, came to see his daughter, Mrs. Fritz Taberling, Sunday. He was en route to Hardinsburg to attend court.

Whooping Cough.

One of the most successful preparations in use for this disease in Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. S. W. McClinton, Blandon Springs, Ala., writes, "Our baby had whooping cough as bad as most any baby could have it. I gave him Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and it soon got him well." Obtainable everywhere.

May Day Celebration.

Gov. James D. Black addressed the citizens of Madison county at a mass meeting in the court house yard Tuesday, May 2. The subject of his address was "Woman Suffrage." A delegation of prominent men and women met the Governor and Mrs. Black at the station and escorted him to the court house. A banquet was given in his honor and many distinguished men and women made short addresses.

JAMES W. GERARD

American Ambassador In Berlin, Who Handled Correspondence on Submarines.



WHAT WOULD HAPPEN IF WAR IS DECLARED?

United States Would Lend Moral and Financial Aid.

Should the worst come of the present crisis in the relations between the United States and Germany and the two countries declared war upon each other what part would this country play?

This is a question that has been asked many times, and the answer is illusive.

Would the United States army be sent to the trenches in Flanders and around Verdun?

Would the United States navy be sent to aid the allied squadron in patrolling the North sea and assist in making the blockade of Germany complete?

Would a call be issued for volunteers in this country and the recruits sent abroad to begin training for service?

All of these results are possible, but none are probable. It is most likely that the United States, if actually drawn into the war, would play a part a great deal similar to that of Japan today. Japan and Germany are at war. But the only part that Japan has played is to send munitions to Russia, with maybe a few officers to direct the movements of the hosts of Russian troops. True, she has given her complete moral and financial support to the allies.

The same course would probably be pursued by the United States. In the event of actual warfare this government would lend its undivided moral, commercial, industrial and financial support to the entente allies, but it is doubtful if Americans would actually participate in the world war.

Our rapidly growing steel and munition factories would be put to work overtime in the efforts to turn out as many shells as possible. The German liners now interned in various American ports would be seized by the government and put into service carrying all kinds of supplies to the allies.

The bankers of the United States would stand solidly behind the allies and lend all possible financial aid, and this probably would be one of the deciding features of the war. It has often been said that the side with the most money would be the ultimate victor, and with the United States on the side of England, France, Russia and Italy there is no doubt that the financial tide would be turned against the Teutonic powers.

PRESIDENT'S STAND ON SUBMARINE WAR.

The "sacred and indisputable" rules of international law, affecting noncombatants, which the United States insisted Germany shall observe in her submarine warfare, may be summed up as follows:

- * Freight or passenger ships shall not be attacked without warning.
- * They shall not be fired on unless they endeavor to resist or escape capture.
- * Before being taken they shall be visited and searched for evidence to establish their belligerent nationality or the presence of a contraband cargo.
- * They shall not be sunk until proper provisions have been made for the safety of passengers and crews.
- * Placing them in lifeboats and turning them adrift is not sufficient unless the condition of the sea and proximity of land or other vessels warrant the belief that they will be rescued.

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Actions of Germany That Led to Her Existing Relations With This Country—Matter Has Been Hanging Fire Fifteen Months.

Lusitania Disaster, In Which 112 American Lives Were Lost, Called Most Flagrant Violation of Rules of International Law.

THE history of the controversy between the United States and Germany over the latter's submarine warfare, which President Wilson submitted to congress the other day, dates back to Feb. 4, 1915, when the Berlin government served notice on the world that on and after Feb. 18 it would regard a certain defined territory around the British isles as a war zone for submarine operations in which all vessels would be subject to attack without warning.

Six days later President Wilson sent to Germany the note which paved the way for his going to congress, although he deferred his trip for fifteen months.

In this note the president informed Germany the United States would hold it to "strict accountability" for any injury which might result to Americans as a result of the illegal German decree.

Germany on Feb. 16 made public a statement from its admiralty defending the submarine blockade.

The United States on Feb. 20 proposed to Germany and Great Britain that both cease their illegal tactics.

Germany gave a qualified acceptance to the proposal, but Great Britain refused to consider the proposal.

More than a month elapsed before America became vitally concerned in the submarine warfare. On March 28 the British steamship Falaba was sunk

to Berlin the first Lusitania note demanding an apology for the attack, a disavowal of the act and a promise of reparation for the lives of Americans lost when the Lusitania went down. He also demanded assurances there would be no repetition of the act.

In this note the president said the German government "will not expect the United States to omit any word or any act necessary to the sacred duty of maintaining the rights of the United States and its citizens."

Germany delayed its answer for a full month. When it was received it proved unsatisfactory. The next day the country was again startled by the message that a German submarine had attacked the British liner Orduna without warning, and, failing to sink her with a torpedo, the submarine rose to the surface and shelled her.

The Arabic Sunk.

Weeks later, on Aug. 19, the Arabic was sunk. This was one. This disaster was only surpassed by the sinking of the Lusitania, and two American lives were lost. Another wave of indignation spread over the United States. Replying to our protest, Germany on Sept. 9 claimed that the submarine commander feared that his craft was in danger of being rammed and that in firing the torpedo he was acting in self defense.

Nearly two months elapsed before another alleged violation of international

CATARRH MOST PREVALENT HERE

Indoor Worker More Susceptible to Common Diseases Than Others.

Probably the most distressing and prevalent disease to which Americans are heirs is catarrhal affection of the mucous membranes. According to medical authorities the indoor worker is more susceptible and is the worst sufferer from catarrhal conditions, of which there are many kinds.

Catarrh of the stomach and kidneys is one of the most common causes of dyspepsia and Bright's disease, and catarrhal conditions of the nose and throat often lead to deafness. Nine out of ten cases of deafness can be traced to catarrh, it is said.

Frequently the lungs become affected by the extension of catarrhal inflammation by way of the bronchial tubes to the lung substance.

The mental and physical state of the catarrh sufferers is, indeed, very unfortunate, and it is surprising to know what an immense number of people among those who reside in such cities as Cloverport are suffering from this almost universal malady when they believe something else is the cause of their trouble.

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Tanlac may be obtained now in Cloverport at Wedding's Drug Store, where it is being especially introduced and its merits explained by the Tanlac Man.

GARFIELD.

George Beard, of Indianapolis, was a guest at Mrs. Willa Compton's part of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Stinnett, of near Lost Run, entertained a number of friends and relatives Sunday to a splendid Easter dinner. Twenty-one invited guests were present and all spent an enjoyable day. Rev. Finly preached in the afternoon.

Mrs. Fannie McCamish, of Maceo, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Bettie Stinnett.

Mrs. A. M. Wood and Sunday School class went out to J. W. Marr's pond Saturday and fished. It was quite a treat for the children.

Dallas Bruner and wife have moved to their new home on the Custer road.

Rufus Kennedy and family were visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Pool, Saturday and Sunday.

Go to Sunday School next Sunday.

Quite a number from this place went to Louisville on the excursion Saturday.

Misses Myrtle Priest and Lottie Whitworth have gone for a two weeks visit with their aunt, Mrs. Lura Hardin in Shephersville.

D. H. and V. W. Smith and families spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Tom Gregory.

Rev. Meng passed through town Saturday en route to Irvington. He was driving his new Maxwell car.

Harvey Triplett and family were guests Sunday of Mrs. Triplett's mother, Mrs. Ella Mattingly.

Mr. Grey and family motored to Hardinburg, Kingswood and Westview Sunday.

Mrs. David Penick and daughter, Margaret, are visiting in Bowling Green.

Mrs. R. W. Meador had as her guest last week her cousin, Miss Laura Allen.

Mrs. James McCoy was here shopping Saturday.

V. W. Smith spent from Saturday to Tuesday at home with his family.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Compton and Mr. and Mrs. Russell Compton, of Hardinburg, were calling at I. B. Richardson's Sunday.

Steve Haynes and wife entertained quite a number of their relatives to dinner Sunday.

D. B. Denton has returned to the Old Soldier's Home after an extended visit with his sisters, Mrs. Priest and Mrs. Snyder.

Mrs. Walter Brown and baby, Mary Leigh, came home Sunday, after a long stay in Hardinburg with Mrs. Brown's mother, Mrs. Kincheloe.

Maurice Kincheloe, of Hardinburg, was a guest at Tom Gregory's Sunday.

J. A. Carbon, of Owensboro, came Monday and organized a Modern Woodman lodge with twenty members. Best looking men in town.

TOBINSPOUT

Mrs. Thomas Ryan, of Cloverport, was buried here Friday in the upper cemetery.

Mr. Lauer, of German Ridge, was at Winchell's Monday after fruit trees.

Miss Gladis Groves, of Tell City, visited relatives and friends here the first of the week.

Chas. Sheldon, of English, spent the end of the week here with his family.

Mrs. Sue Tucker and two daughters, Bernice and Lelia, and Miss Cecil Hall, of Cloverport, spent Easter with Marion Polk and family.

Miss Mattie Williams, of California, is the guest of her aunt, Mrs. William Suddarth.

The revival conducted by Rev. Jack and Dr. Shepherd closed Sunday night at the M. E. church with twelve new members.

Miss Ethel Ahl was in Cloverport Thursday.

Donald Smith, of Cloverport, was the guest of Vevah Winchell on Sunday

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Four March and April Boars, weight from 250 to 350 lbs., \$30 to \$40 each—the best I ever bred. 6 Fall boar pigs large enough for service \$17.50 each, all good and out of my best sows—must be sold at once. 2 May gilts bred to farrow in April and May \$25 each. Yearling gilts all sold.

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evening.

Milton Squires, Mr. Couch, Hudson Bohler and Ollie Clark, of Cloverport,

attended church Sunday night.

Auxiliary meets this week with Mrs. Cletus Lewis.—Cannelton Telephone.



Photos by American Press Association.

ADMIRAL VON TIRPITZ AND GROUP OF GERMAN SUBMARINES.

by a German submarine, and 100 lives, including that of an American, were lost.

Attacked American Steamer.

Three weeks later the country was aroused over the attack on the American steamer Cushing by a German aeroplane and the American tanker Gulfight by a German submarine. Three lives were lost as the result of the attack on the Gulfight, although the vessel was not sunk.

While the administration was pondering over the course to be pursued with respect to these three vessels the German embassy took steps to warn Americans off enemy merchant vessels.

Without consulting this government the German ambassador caused to be inserted in a number of metropolitan newspapers an advertisement informing American citizens that it was dangerous for them to go upon ships of Germany's enemies.

On May 1 an advertisement of this sort was printed just before the Lusitania sailed from New York. Hundreds of the passengers aboard the vessel received telegrams just before she sailed warning them of the danger. The vessel sailed and six days later was torpedoed. One hundred and fourteen Americans lost their lives.

Germany attempted to prevent drastic action by instructing Ambassador von Bernstorff to convey a message of sympathy to the president and to express regret that military necessity compelled it to take the lives of non-combatants.

This message was delivered to the president on May 10.

Three days later the president sent

at law was perpetrated by the submarines. This occurred outside of the war zone. The British liner Persia was torpedoed in the Mediterranean sea with the loss of several American lives. An Austrian submarine was blamed for this disaster, however.

The first real action taken by Germany on the Lusitania disaster took place on Jan. 8, 1916, when the Berlin government promised to pay indemnity for the lives that had been lost when this liner was sent to the bottom.

United States' Final Word.

The next day the final word from the United States on the Lusitania was dispatched to Berlin, and nine days later the German reply was received. This was a most optimistic note, and the belief gained circulation that the submarine issue had been settled for good.

It was only ten days later, however, that Germany warned the world that all armed enemy ships would be sunk without warning. The rules of international law permit the arming of a merchantman for defensive purposes only. The United States promptly demanded a withdrawal of this order.

On March 25 the United States heard of the Sussex disaster; then in quick succession the sinking of the Eagle Point, Manchester Engineer and Berwindvale.

These disasters proved to be the straws that broke the camel's back, and on April 19 President Wilson warned Germany that unless she immediately ceased the use of submarines in attacking passenger and freight carrying vessels a severance of diplomatic relations was the only course remaining open.

Mrs. Skrewd Shopper's Confessions.

No. 1.

LET me begin by saying that these confessions are not the usual kind you read about in the papers.

NO HIDDEN AND HORRIBLE CRIME WILL BE DISCLOSED; NO SECRET MARRIAGE WILL BE HERE DIVULGED TO A STARTLED COMMUNITY; THERE WILL BE NO REVELATIONS OF "PRICELESS" BEAUTY SECRETS.

Perhaps you expected something of this sort when you glanced at the heading and now feel a trifle disappointed.

BUT I PROMISE YOU THAT THESE REVELATIONS WILL SURELY BE QUITE AS INTERESTING AS THOSE YOU HAVE BEEN ACCUSTOMED TO SEE IN THE NEWS COLUMNS—PERHAPS MORE SO, BECAUSE I AM GOING TO TOUCH ON A SUBJECT HERE THAT VITALLY AFFECTS YOU AND YOUR FAMILY AS THE OTHER "CONFESSIONS" DO NOT.

I was commissioned by this progressive newspaper to tell its women readers from time to time some of the secrets of profitable shopping. I know quite a few.

I HAVE SPENT ALMOST A LIFETIME IN BUYING THINGS. I HAVE SHOPPED FOR PRETTY NEARLY EVERYTHING FROM PINS TO PIANOS. I HAVE BEEN IN ALL THE STORES AT HOME AND IN SOME IN THE BIGGEST CITIES IN THIS COUNTRY. I AM GOING TO TELL YOU WHAT HAS TAKEN ME YEARS TO LEARN.

And I am going to tell you of some of the shopping opportunities that I come across in my daily visits to the stores—things that you usually don't hear of and that will help you to take some of the cost out of the "cost of living" we hear so much about. I am going to tell it to you in a neighborly way—as one woman to another.

I think I've said enough for today, however. Watch for my next article.

MRS. SKREWD SHOPPER.

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SHOPS WILL BE REBUILT.

The best news we have this week is that the shops will be rebuilt in Cloverport. The L. H. & St. L. Railroad Company has pleased thousands of people all along the road, over the county and friends in other states by rebuilding the shops here. It is a pleasure to know that Mr. Hudson, the president, is at the helm, guiding and directing every step that is best for the road and all concerned. Every person, every town and every piece of land that comes in touch with the road is benefited, and realizing this Cloverport was more than anxious to have the shops here again.

There is no railroad in the United States that gets as many compliments from its own patrons, employees and friends as the Henderson Route and everybody likes to patronize it, work for it and say a good word for the L. H. & St. L. Let us all continue in Cloverport to show our appreciation for the Henderson Route—this road gives us occupation and advantages untold.

MAKING THE BEST OF LIFE.

It does not matter how poor or unfortunate you are, you can enjoy many things in this life without the trouble of owning or caring for them. Many a poor person has enjoyed more of his life than any rich man, simply because early in life he learned to enjoy things without owning them to such an extent, that he never seemed to have the slightest envy or jealousy in connection with the property of others, but rather showed gratitude to those who owned them. The secret of happiness is in a cheerful, contented mind. "He is poor who is dissatisfied; he is rich who is contented with what he has."

The ability to gather enjoyment from all sorts of sources is a divine gift. It broadens the life, deepens the experience and enriches the whole nature. It is a great force in self culture. The habit of feeling rich because you have developed the faculty of extracting wealth from everything you touch is riches, indeed.

THE NEWSPAPER AGE.

This is indeed the age of the newspaper. With or without good reason the people look to the newspaper not only for the daily round of information, but often for leadership in civic and political affairs. The newspaper which is clean in all respects, which has high ideals, must always be a factor in the influence which build for public betterment, and to a degree for the promotion of the moral and spiritual welfare of the people among whom he labors. These are the duties and burdens, which the newspaper man cannot shirk if he would take his appointed place among his fellow men, and he is very fortunate if he receives the full measure of confidence and respect, which those of his readers who are really worth while, are willing to bestow upon a deserving co-laborer.

Tom Ryan and his family were in town shopping last Friday. Mr. Ryan told Mrs. Ryan to get her a hat and not ask the price of it. "You live in the country and you should have the best," he said to his wife when she picked out one of the prettiest hats in the store. Mr. Ryan is right. So many people think because they live in the country, they can wear clothes, regardless of style and quality. But they should be the best dressed people of all because they can better afford good clothes than most men and women who live off the farm.

The bond issue for good roads is started. Keep it up. Nothing like starting something. Every man should have his say and "his say" will be aired through the Breckenridge News. The News is for a bond issue, but like all other issues, there are two sides to it. Can't we pool our issues and our enthusiasm and go right after the bonds. It is the only practical move for good roads.

Most everybody we met Monday were rejoicing over the rebuilding of the shops at Cloverport. President Hudson has certainly made a ten-strike with the people of Breckenridge. We are proud of another sentiment among our county men that they all love Cloverport and are deeply interested in her well doing.

The Bank of Hardinsburg & Trust Company is sending out some mighty good literature to the farmers in this county. These circulars should be read and studied, reread and then filed away for future reference.

Human experience, like the stern lights of a ship at sea, illumines only the path which we have passed over.

Do You Know That

Walking is the best exercise—and the cheapest?

The United States Public Health Service administers typhoid vaccine gratis to Federal employees?

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The careless spitter is a public danger?

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Tree That is Almost an Orchard.

In Farm and Fireside is an account of a California fig tree whose annual crop at retail prices would average one hundred dollars. The tree is of the Mission variety. It was planted thirty years ago, is forty-six feet tall and has a spread of limbs reaching fifty-four feet. It bears a ton or more of figs every year.

April is Month for Beginning Wars.

Four out of five of the greatest wars in which the United States ever has participated began in the month of April. Thus, if the United States should become embroiled with Germany at this time, it would only be following a well set precedent. The dates follow:
Revolution, April 19, 1775.
Mexican War, April 24, 1846.
Civil War, April 12, 1861.
Spanish War, April 21, 1898.
The war of 1812 began June 18, 1812.

National Defense and International Peace

What the Engineers are Doing

THIRTY thousand American engineers are making a card index survey of American industry so that it may be prepared for its vital part in defending the Country, if need comes.

The past eighteen months have taught us here in America what lack of industrial preparedness has meant to some of the countries now at war. These nations had the ships and they had the men; but when the hour struck, their factories were not able to furnish the colors with arms and shells and powder. Their factories were not prepared. And our factories are not prepared.

But it is not enough to draw a moral. In the United States five great Engineering Societies—Civil, Mining, Mechanical, Electrical and Chemical—have pledged their services to the Government of the United States, and are already working hand in hand with the Government to prepare industry for the national defense. They receive no pay and accept no pay. All they seek is opportunity to serve their country, that she may have her industries mobilized for defense.

All elements of the nation's life—the manufacturers, the business men, and the workmen—should support this patriotic and democratic work of the engineers, and assist them cheerfully when asked. There can be no better national insurance against war.

The Associated Advertising Clubs of the World, representing all advertising interests have offered their free and hearty service to the President of the United States, in close co-operation with these five Engineering Societies, to the end that the Country may know what the Engineers are doing. The President has accepted the offer. The Engineers have welcomed the co-operation.

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AN ORDEAL FOR STUDENTS.

Examinations in China Mean Stretches of Strenuous Work.

Learning in China is held in great esteem, and, says the Washington Star, a scholar is a marked and privileged man. In one typical literary center, Kanchou Fou, where students gather for their examinations, the working of the Chinese educational system may be observed to advantage.

A brilliant scene marks the opening of an examination, which is held in a great inclosure, the approaches to which, as well as the platform, are gorgeously decorated with red and yellow lanterns. Strangely enough, the doors are thrown open at midnight, and it is then that the candidates, who may number a couple of thousand and who are dressed in the long blue robes of the scholar, march in and take their seats.

The literary chancellor of the province, clad in silken garments of great magnificence, seats himself upon the platform. The doors are then closed, and the "text" from the classics is announced. The chancellor selects the text at random, and it is upon that text that the student must base his essay. Since the essay is composed under the eyes of an examiner and his lieutenants, cheating is out of the question.

The students who took their seats on this first midnight are sounded out by a big drum at 6 in the afternoon. They have eighteen hours in which to complete their essays. They are permitted to bring into the hall only light confectionery, although tea is often passed. In other words, they are expected to work and not to eat. They are allowed the six hours from sunset until midnight for rest, when the same men reassemble for a second trial.

On the third night those who are thought worthy make their third effort. With the third period the examination is completed, and a second set of men enters on the three days' ordeal.

No Secrets

about "Penslar White Pine and Spruce Balsam." The formula of this great cough medicine is on every bottle. 25c at Wedding's Drug Store.

A Strange Tradition.

When you put your chicken on to cook, if you are uncertain about its age, place in the utensil in which you are cooking it one or two clean rusty nails and you will find, no matter how old it may be, it will cook in the same time and be just as tender as the ordinary stewing chicken.

This is a family tradition handed down from my grandmother, who was a famous cook in her day. Just how the nails act on the meat to produce the effect I will want to leave to some scientist to discover. — Philadelphia Record.

Stevenson's Last Chapter.

Robert Louis Stevenson died at Samoa, stricken suddenly down in a day of great heat. He wrote hard all that morning of the last day (Dec. 3, 1894). His half finished book, "Hermiston," he judged the best he had ever written, and the sense of successful effort made him buoyant and happy as nothing else could. "At sunset he came downstairs," says his cousin and biographer, Graham Balfour. "He rallied his wife about the forebodings she could not shake off, talked of a lecture tour to America that he was eager to make, 'as he was now so well,' and played a game at cards with her to drive away her melancholy." He died at 8:10 in the evening of that day in the forty-fifth year of his age.

Go To Sunday School Sunday.

TRYING A PAIR OF SKIS.

The First Attempt Is Great Sport For the Spectators.

Skis are long, narrow strips of wood turned up at the toes, with a strap in the middle to hold your foot, and they have a spirit of evil running through the whole length of them.

We were inveigled into trying the things. To our everlasting regret we admit it. The idea is to walk to the top of a nice, smooth, snowy, slippery hill, put the things on, take a pole in your hand and slide down. Well, we walked up all right; we even got safely to the place where we pushed off with the pole. Then, all at once, the top of the hill seemed to jump away from us and the bottom to come surging up at us. We felt in our stomach as if somebody was trying to move it up near our front collar button. And we were going! My goodness, how we were going!

We said it was a nice smooth hill, didn't we? It was when we walked up, but something had meddled with it before we started to come down. There were waves and swells and gullies, and every time we struck one our right ski showed a desire to travel west while the left one wanted to go due north. It was disconcerting. Most of the time we wobbled. One ski got tired and wanted to ride on the other one. In our heart we knew we never would get out of the scrape alive.

And then right ahead of us loomed up a hummock. It was the highest hummock we ever saw, and there wasn't a chance to dodge it. We muttered goodby to ourself and kept on determinedly—very determinedly. Nothing short of a collision with a locomotive could have stopped us. Swoop we went up the side of the hummock, and in a millionth part of a second we discovered that the thing quit suddenly at the top. The other side was a miniature precipice. Maybe it was four feet down, but the four feet happened all of a sudden and violently.

Later we found out the thing had been put there on purpose. It was a criminal thing to do. We left that hummock abruptly. The air became full of us. We waved our arms and legs and lost our pole, and presently we came down not gracefully and gently, but we got down just the same. We don't know yet where our left ski went, nor do we know where a quarter of an acre of skin selected at random over our person went. We do know that it took two strong men with snow shovels ten minutes to dig us out of the drift. Skiing is said to be a sport. It is. It is a great sport—for the spectator. We can think of no greater pleasure than to watch our worst enemy try a pair of skis for the first time.—American Boy.

A Story of Daniel O'Connell.

The great Daniel O'Connell was about to be re-elected a member of the house of commons. The vote was public. The landlords used all their influence to prevent the re-election of Daniel O'Connell. They threatened up to the time of the vote to evict the poor Irish tenants. It meant misery and ruin for them and for their families. A young Irishman on the stand weakened at the moment he was about to vote, before the threats of his landlord. But his mother was there. She called to him. "Oh, John, remember your soul!" And the son, reassured by the courageous appeal of his mother, cried before the throng, "I vote for Daniel O'Connell!" His example was followed, and the election of Daniel O'Connell was a veritable triumph.—Letter in New York Times.

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Arriving Louisville.....7:40 P. M.
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Arriving Irvington.....5:51 A. M.
WEST BOUND
No. 141 will leave Cloverport.....10:53 A. M.
Arriving Owensboro.....12:04 P. M.
Arriving Henderson.....12:58 P. M.
Arriving Evansville.....1:23 P. M.
Arriving St. Louis.....7:40 P. M.
No. 143 will leave Cloverport.....7:00 P. M.
Arriving Owensboro.....8:18 P. M.
No. 145 will leave Cloverport.....11:51 P. M.
Arriving Owensboro.....12:58 A. M.
Arriving Henderson.....1:48 A. M.
Arriving Evansville.....2:15 A. M.
Arriving St. Louis.....7:40 A. M.
No. 147 will leave Cloverport.....6:30 A. M.
Arriving Owensboro.....7:46 A. M.
Arriving Henderson.....9:00 A. M.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS

About People who Live in Cloverport, Those who Travel and Those who Live in Other Towns and Cities. Church and Society Notes Included.

Len Gregory is visiting in Louisville. Mrs. J. T. O'Connell is on the sick list.

Miss Martha Willis was in Louisville last week.

Mrs. Leslie Plank was in Louisville Thursday.

Julian Brown has begun work on his new storehouse.

Mrs. J. B. Randall is visiting relatives in Louisville.

C. W. Dean, of Glen Dean, was in Louisville Monday.

Mrs. J. M. Fitch was in Owensboro Thursday shopping.

A. T. Beard shipped during last week six car loads of hogs.

Mrs. Wm. G. Polk left Monday for her home in Louisville.

B. Y. P. U. services will be held Sunday evening by group 2.

Dr. W. L. Milner, of Union Star, was in Hardinsburg Monday.

F. M. Powell, of Glen Dean, returned from Lexington Saturday.

Eldred Babbage returned Thursday from Dyersburg, Tennessee.

Mrs. Frank Fraize has returned from a visit to relatives in Louisville.

Harry Newsom, of Louisville, spent the week end here with his family.

Mrs. Frank Ferry and Miss Esther Payne were in Louisville Tuesday.

Mrs. J. Proctor Keith will be hostess to the Wednesday Club this afternoon.

Robert Akins, of Louisville, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Cockerill.

C. A. Eskridge, who has been seriously ill of blood poison, is improving.

Miss Jane Lightfoot was hostess to the Friendship Circle Saturday afternoon.

Willard Arnold and daughter, Miss Bessie Arnold, were in Louisville Monday.

Mike Tucker, of Paducah, is the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Nat Tucker.

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Miss Darst, of Hardinsburg, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Darst.

Mike McCracken left Sunday for Cincinnati, where he has accepted a position. Rev. H. C. Truman, of Fordsville, attended the G. A. R. meeting at Lexington.

Mrs. H. V. Duncan will be hostess to the Ladies' Reading Club Thursday afternoon.

John Haffey, who is working in Louisville, visited his wife and daughter last week.

Homer Morrison, of Pittsburg, is the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Morrison.

Mrs. Raymond Marshall, of Hawesville, was the guest of relatives here last week.

Mrs. Dee Saybert was the week end guest of Mr. and Mrs. Harry H. Norton at Webster.

Mrs. R. B. Pierce, of Louisville, is the guest of her children, Mr. and Mrs. Allen Pierce.

Mrs. L. T. Reid and little sons, Lafayette and Charlie, were in Owensboro Friday.

Miss Jessie Hudson and Mr. Morris Kincheloe, of Hardinsburg, motored here Sunday.

Miss Monnie Moorman will have charge of the Epworth League services Sunday evening.

C. E. Lightfoot was in Brandenburg Sunday the guest of his sister, Mrs. George Dowden.

The Parent Teachers Association will meet Friday afternoon at 3:15 o'clock at the school chapel.

Miss Maude Hambleton, of Mattingly, who has been visiting relatives here, has returned home.

Thomas Rogers, of Bowling Green, spent the week end here the guest of Miss Louise Nicholas.

Mrs. Phil Zirchle and daughter, Miss Mae Zirchle, were the guests last week of Miss Evelyn Hicks.

Mrs. Fred Ferry and little daughter, of Louisville, spent the week end here the guests of relatives.

Jesse Owen returned to Louisville Sunday after being the guest of his mother, Mrs. J. T. Owen.

The Breckenridge-Bank of Cloverport are repairing and painting the front of their banking house.

Mrs. Fred Newton was in Owensboro Friday to see her sister, Mrs. Weaver Tatum, who has been quite ill.

Mrs. John Weisenberg spent Sunday at Rockport, the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Jerry Noble and Mr. Noble.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Moorman, of Versailles, are the guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wickliff Moorman.

Dr. John Kincheloe and Mrs. Kincheloe, of Hardinsburg, were the guests last week of Mr. and Mrs. Shelby Conrad.

Mrs. Durwood Wroe, of Irvington, and Miss Rice, of Hickman, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Wroe Sunday.

Miss Gertrude Jarrett, of near Stephensonport, has returned home after visiting relatives in Tobinsport and Cloverport.

Mrs. Chas. Lyons and Miss Marcella Lyons have returned to McQuady after spending five weeks in Louisville with Mr. Lyons.

Mrs. H. C. Murray and baby boy, of Hardinsburg, went to Louisville Monday to visit her parents, Judge Wm. Ahl and Mrs. Ahl.

Congratulations are being received by Prof. J. R. McCoy and Mrs. McCoy on the birth of a daughter, Lou Watson, Wednesday, April 25.

Mrs. O. W. Sanders and daughter, Pauline, of Evansville, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Brickey, at Mattingly, have returned home.

John W. Jarrett, Jr., Cashier of the Bank of Dover, Dover, Ark, is the guest of his sister, Mrs. John N. Gibson, at Sample. Mr. Jarrett and Mr. Gibson were in Hardinsburg Monday.

Mrs. Jas. Lawson, James, Jr., and Miss Lidia Lawson, accompanied by Mr. John

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CHURCH WEDDING.

The wedding of Miss Virginia Ireland McGavock and Mr. Perry Davis, of Warsaw, Ky., will be solemnized in the Methodist church Wednesday, May 10, at 3 o'clock. Miss Lenora McGavock is to be her sister's maid-of-honor, and Miss Elizabeth Y. Skillman, of Morganfield, the bridesmaid. Mr. Warren Davis, of Warsaw, brother of the groom, will be the best man, and Mr. Harold Brown the groomsman. The Rev. Mr. Paul S. Powell will be the officiating clergyman.

ANNOUNCEMENT.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Hall announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Lucy Jane Hall, to Mr. Oliver O. Lewis. The wedding will take place in May.

TEA

In Honor of Miss McGavock at the Home of Miss Babbage.

Miss Mildred Babbage gave a tea Saturday afternoon to the Friday Club in honor of Miss Virginia L. McGavock. A two-course luncheon was served carrying out the color scheme in yellow and green. The guest of honor was favored with a year's subscription to The Breckenridge News from Mr. and Mrs. John D. Babbage, and the guests received favors representing products of the farm.

Those invited were: Mrs. William G. Polk, of Louisville; Mrs. Leon McGavock, Miss McGavock, Misses Leonora McGavock and Mary McGavock, Susette Sawyer, Frances Sawyer, Jeanette Burn, Claudia Pate, Martha Willis, Katherine Wroe, Susie Newton, Mary Couch, Tula Babbage.

MISCELLANEOUS SHOWER

At the Home of Mrs. Frank Payne in Honor of Miss Virginia McGavock.

Mrs. Frank Payne gave a miscellaneous shower in honor of Miss Virginia Ireland McGavock at her beautiful home Saturday afternoon. The shower took place in the dining room, where a huge paper heart hung from the electric light and the heart was filled with exquisite gifts for the bride-elect.

Delicious ices in pink and white were served. The guest favors were little pink baskets filled with pink and white mints. Among the interesting remembrances Miss McGavock received were, a farm paper from Mr. Payne and a large pink sun-bonnet from her mother.

The guests were: Mesdames James Skillman, J. B. Randall, Sam Conrad, C. W. Moorman, C. W. Moorman, Jr.; Gus May, J. C. Nolte, W. G. Polk, Hilary Hardin, L. McGavock, A. R. Fisher, L. Sifford, David Phelps, F. L. Lightfoot, Hugh Donaldson, W. H. Bowmer; Misses Claudia Pate, Martha Willie, Mary Couch, Susette Sawyer, Frances Sawyer, Katherine Wroe, Mary Gibson, Mary McGavock Elizabeth Skillman, Margaret Skillman, Mildred Babbage, Leonora McGavock, Eloise Nolte, Esther Payne, Lula Severs, Virginia McGavock, Ray Heyser, Cleona Weatherholt and Bertie Cordrey.

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Mr. and Mrs. Johnson, of North Carolina, arrived last Saturday to be the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Galloway.

Guy Hart lost a fine cow last Sunday. The Easter services at the M. E. church, South, were well attended, and the program enjoyed by all.

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W. E. Henninger motored to town last Tuesday.

Miss Lewis has been the guest of her sister, Mrs. Mart Glasscock.

M. B. Tucker and Gilbert Galloway, of McCoy, were in town one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Zach Ganaway and grandchildren, Miss Mary Agner and Joe Rhodes, of McCoy, were the guests of Will Cannon and family last Sunday.

Frank Talkington, of Leitchfield, was here on business one day last week.

Mrs. Jesse Galloway was the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Mattingly, a few days last week.

Frank Rhodes was in Glen Dean Friday.

Rev. Allen preached at the M. E. church, South, last Sunday night.

Capt. Webb and Mrs. Webb, of Falls of Rough, were in town shopping Thursday.

S. W. Glasscock was in Owensboro a few days last week.

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Silas and Orville Miller, of New Bethel, attended church here Sunday.

J. H. Blythe was in Louisville last week attending the K. E. A.

Rev. Russell Walker filled his regular appointment here Saturday and Sunday and was entertained by Mr. and Mrs. Knott Hardin.

Wm. Miller, of Tell City, was the guest of his sister, Mrs. Allen Waggoner, Monday.

Mrs. Ralph Winchell and children were guests of her mother, Mrs. Oelze, Sunday.

Lewis Beavin and Simon Smart were in Hardinsburg Sunday.

James Waggoner was in Louisville Saturday delivering a nice bunch of fat hogs.

The infant child of Leo Elder is ill.

Miss Margaret Atwood, of Louisville, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Atwood.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Jennings were guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Rowland, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Zack Burdette, Louisville, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ferd McClellan, Tuesday.

Miss Mabel Hawkins was the guest Saturday and Sunday of Mrs. C. H. Smart.

Wayman Furrow, who has been here for the past few months, left Saturday for Metropolis, Ill.

Mrs. Sallie Miller, of Tell City, visited relatives here recently.

Misses Margaret and Francis Atwood entertained the young folks to a party Friday night.

The following from here were in Cloverport Friday: Mr. and Mrs. Eli Chapin, Mr. and Mrs. Cleveland Miller, Mr. and Mrs. Ross Burdett. Mesdames J. B. Smart, James Waggoner, Misses Ollie, Dora B., and Ada Waggoner.

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Danger of War Creates Interest in Our Army and Navy.

The war abroad, the submarine issues and the ever present possibility that the United States may be drawn into the European conflict have awakened in congress and in Americans in general an acute interest in national preparedness. The conflict has tended to show that in many respects this country is far behind in many of the military branches.

As a result many citizens who before the outbreak of the European war thought little of military preparation have become much interested. There were several successful camps held in different sections of the country last year, and those men who took part in the drills received military instruction from the regular army officers and in a short time fitted themselves to serve in the army in case of an emergency.

This year the camps will be more numerous than last. There will be more interest, and it is expected that twice as many citizens will avail themselves of these opportunities to secure proper military training and at the same time have what might be termed a vacation.

Aside from the military camps, Secretary Daniels plans to train at least 10,000 citizens as to the duties of a sailor. The battleships of both the Atlantic and Pacific fleets will be used as training stations, and the cruises will take the men far out into the ocean, where they will be taught in the most practical manner just what is expected of an American sailor in case of war. These men are to be kept on a reserve list and in case of hostilities can be called upon to join the navy.

These are not the only two branches of the service that have been improved and will be further strengthened as the direct result of the war in Europe. It has been shown that this country possesses too few aeroplanes for a campaign conducted on a large scale. Larger appropriations have been made by congress, and this branch of our military service is now undergoing a transformation that will make it formidable under all the improvements have been added.

RUSSIANS HAD CHOICE OF THREE ROUTES TO FRANCE.

There are three possible routes by which the Russian soldiers disembarked at Marseilles may have come. They may have come from Archangel, on the White sea, around Europe to Gibraltar; they may have marched overland from Ispahan, Persia, which has been in Russian hands for more than a month, to Shiraz, on the Persian gulf, and thence by ship through the Suez canal and the Mediterranean, or they may have been sent over the Transiberian railway to Vladivostok and thence by sea to Marseilles.

Archangel is the nearest of the three possible ports by sea. The approximate distances are as follows:

	Nautical miles.
Archangel to Marseilles.....	3,553
Shiraz to Marseilles.....	4,758
Vladivostok to Marseilles.....	9,572

Embarkation at Shiraz would involve a march of about 100 miles overland through the mountainous and desert country of southern Persia. There are also few facilities at Shiraz for the embarkation of a large force. Probably at least forty transports of average size would be needed to carry an army corps.

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CHAPTER XIII. The Cat Is Away.

ROBIN'S face was glowing with excitement. He put his hands in his trousers pockets and nervously jingled the coins therein, all the while regarding his minister of police with speculative eyes.

At last Robin, without speaking, impulsively held the letter out to the baron, who strode across the room and took it from his hand. Without a word he extracted the single sheet of paper and read what was written thereon:

"My motor will call for you at 3 this afternoon, and we will run out to St. Cloud for tea, at the Pavillon bleu. Mrs. Gaston is spending the day with relatives at Champs-Élysées, and we may as well be nice under the circumstances. If you have another engagement pray do not let it interfere with the pleasure I am seeking."

"Nothing could be more exacting, my dear prince. She signs herself 'B. Guille,' and I am sure she is magnificently beguiling, if you will pardon the play on words."

"It's a jolly little adventure," was all that Robin would say.

The baron was thoughtful. "There is something behind this extraordinary behavior on the part of a lady generally accredited with sense and refinement," said he after a moment. "I think I have it too. She is deliberately putting you to a rather severe test."

"Test? What do you mean?"



"Isn't it just like an elopement?" cried Miss Guille.

"She is trying you out, sir. Miss Guille, or possibly Miss Blithers—is taking a genuine risk in order to determine whether you are a real gentleman or only a make believe. She is taking a chance with you. You may call it a jolly little adventure, but I call it the acid test."

Robin laughed. "Thank you, baron. Forewarned is forearmed. I shall remain a gentleman at any cost."

At 3 o'clock a big limousine swung under the porte cochère at the Ritz and a nimble footman hopped down and entered the hotel. Robin was waiting just inside the doors.

"For Mr. Schmidt?" he inquired.

"Oui, monsieur."

Thrilled by a pleasurable sense of excitement, the Prince of Graustark entered the car.

A delicate perfume lingered in the machine, convincing proof that Miss Guille had left it but a few minutes before its arrival at his hotel. As a matter of fact, she was nearer than he thought, for the car whirled into the Rue de la Paix and stopped at the curb not more than a hundred yards from the Place Vendôme.

Once more the nimble footman hopped down and threw open the door. A slender, swift moving figure in a blue linen gown and a wide hat, from which sprang two gorgeous blue plumes, emerged from the door of a diamond merchant's shop, and before Robin could move from his corner, popped into the car and sat down beside him with a nervous little laugh on her lips—red lips that showed rose-like and tempting behind a thick chiffon veil, obviously donned for an excellent reason. The exquisite features of Miss Guille were barely distinguishable beneath the surface of this filmy barrier. The door closed sharply and

almost before the prince had recovered from his surprise, the car glided off in the direction of the Place de l'Opera.

"Isn't it just like an elopement?" cried Miss Guille, and it was quite plain to him that she was vastly pleased with the sprightly introduction to the adventure. Her voice trembled slightly, and she sat up very straight in the wide, comfortable seat.

"Is it really you?" cried Robin, and he was surprised to find that his own voice trembled.

"Oh," she said, with a sudden diffidence, "how do you do? What must you think of me, bouncing in like that and never once speaking to you?"

"I think that you are frightened almost out of your boots," said he boldly.

"No, I'm not," said she resolutely. "I am only conscious of feeling extremely foolish."

"I shouldn't feel that way about stealing off for a cup of tea," said he. "It's all quite regular, you know, and is frequently done in the very best circles when the cat's away."

"You see, I couldn't quite scrape up the courage to go directly to the hotel for you," she said. "I know several people who are stopping there, and I—well, you won't think I'm a dreadful person, will you?"

"Not at all," he declared promptly. Then he resolved to put one of the questions he had made up his mind to ask at the first opportunity. "Do you mind telling me why you abandoned me so completely, so heartlessly, on the day we landed?"

"Because there was no reason why I should act otherwise, Mr. Schmidt," she said, the tremor gone from her voice.

"And yet you take me to St. Cloud for tea," he said pointedly.

"Ah, but no one is to know of this," she cried warmly. "This is a secret, a very secret adventure."

He could not help staring. "And that is just why I am mystified. Why is today so very different from yesterday?"

"It isn't," she said. "Doesn't all this prove it?"

He suddenly remembered the baron's shrewd conjecture and let the opportunity to say something banal go by without a word. Perhaps it was a test, after all.

"There are many things I want to speak about, Mr. Schmidt, and—do you know how impossible it is to—to get a moment to oneself when one is being watched like a child, as I am being watched over by dear Mrs. Gaston. You will understand, won't you?"

"Pray do not distress yourself, Miss Guille," he protested. "The last word is spoken. I am too happy to spoil the day by doubting its integrity."

As the car turned into the Boulevard des Capucines Robin suppressed an exclamation of annoyance on beholding Baron Gourou and Dank standing on the curb almost within arm's length of the car as it passed. The former was peering rather intently at the two men on the front seat and evinced little or no interest in the occupants of the passing tonneau.

"Wasn't that your friend Mr. Dank?" inquired Miss Guille with interest. He felt that she was chiding him.

"Yes," said he, and then turned for another look at his compatriots. Gourou was jotting something down on his cuff band. The prince mentally promised him something for his pains. "But let us leave dull care behind," he went on gayly.

"Won't you be good enough to take off that veil? It seriously obstructs the view."

She complacently shook her head. "It doesn't obstruct mine," she said. "Have you been reading what the papers are saying about your friend Mr. Blithers and his obstreperous daughter, Maud?"

Robin caught his breath. In a flash he suspected an excellent reason for keeping the veil in place. He could now see that it gave her a distinct advantage over him.

"Yes, I see that she positively denies the whole business."

"Likewise the prospective spouse," she added. "Isn't it sickening?"

"By the way, it is reported that she crossed on the steamer with us."

"I am quite certain that she did, Mr. Schmidt," said she.

"You really think so?" he cried, regarding her keenly.

"The man who came to meet me knows her quite well. He is confident that he saw her at Cherbourg."

"I see," said he, and was thoroughly convinced. "I may as well confess to you, Miss Guille, that I also know her when I see her."

"But you told me positively that you had never seen her, Mr. Schmidt," she said quickly.

"I had not seen her up to the second day out on the Jupiter," he explained, enjoying himself immensely.

"It was after that that you?"

"I know," he said, as she hesitated, "but you see I didn't know she was Miss Blithers until sometime after I had met you." There was a challenge in his manner amounting almost to a declaration.

She leaned forward to regard him more intently.

"Is it possible, Mr. Schmidt, that you suspect me of being that horrid, vulgar creature?"

Robin was not to be trapped. There was something in the shadowy eyes that warned him.

"At least I may say that I do not suspect you of being a horrid, vulgar creature," he said evasively.

"You haven't answered my question, Mr. Schmidt."

"Well," he began slowly, "I don't suspect you of being Miss Blithers."

"But you did suspect it?"

"I was pleasantly engaged in speculation, that's all. It is generally believed that Miss Blithers sailed under an assumed name—literally, not figuratively."

"Is there any reason why you should imagine that my name is not Guille?"

"Yes. Your luggage is resplendently marked with the second letter in the alphabet—a gory, crimson B."

"I see," she said reflectively. "You examined my luggage, as they say in the customs office. And you couldn't put B and G together, is that it?"

"Obviously."

"If you had taken the trouble to look you would have found an equally resplendent G on the opposite end of each and every trunk, Mr. Schmidt," she said quietly.

"I did not examine your luggage, Miss Guille," said he stiffly. She hadn't left much for him to stand upon.

"Rather unique way to put one's initials on a trunk, isn't it?"

"It possesses the virtue of originality," she admitted. "I've no doubt that the amiable Miss Blithers were to tear off it she'd rush into print and belabor me with the largest type that money could buy."

"Oh, come now, Miss Guille," he protested, "it really isn't fair to Miss Blithers. She was justified in following an illustrious example. You forget that the Prince of Graustark was the first to rush into print with a flat denial. What else could the poor girl do?"

"Oh, I am not defending the Prince of Graustark. He behaved abominably, rushing into print, as you say. Extremely bad taste, I should call it. Still, I would be willing to make a small wager that the well advertised match comes off in spite of all the denials. Given a determined father, an ambitious mother, a purse filled daughter and an empty pursed nobleman, and I don't see how the inevitable can be avoided."

Robin's face was flaming. It was with difficulty that he restrained the impulse to put her right in the matter without further ado.

"By the way, what would you have done had you been placed in her position?"

"I think I should have acted quite as independently as she."

"If your father were to pick out a husband for you, whether or no, you would refuse to obey the paternal command?"

"Most assuredly. As a matter of fact, Mr. Schmidt, my father has expressed a wish that I should marry a man who doesn't appeal to me at all."

"And you refuse?"

"Absolutely. Now let us talk of something else. A bas Blithers! Down with the plutocrats! Stamp out the vulgarities! Is there anything else you can suggest?" she cried gayly.

"Long live the Princess Maud!" said he, and doffed his hat. The satirical note in his voice was not lost on her. She started perceptibly and caught her breath. Then she sank back into the corner with a nervous, strained little laugh.

"You think she will marry him?"

"I think as you do about it, Miss Guille," said Robin, and she was silenced.

They had a table in a cool, shady corner of the broad porch overlooking the Place d'Armes and the Seine and its vociferous ferries. To the right runs the gleaming roadway that leads to the hills and glades through which pomp and pride once strode with such fatal arrogance. Blue coated servants attended them on their arrival and watched over them during their stay.

It was as if Miss Guille were the fairy princess who had but to wish and her slightest desire was gratified. Her guest, a real prince, marveled not a little at the complete sway she exercised over this somewhat autocratic army of menials. They bowed and scraped and fetched and carried. The magic of Araby could have been no more potent than the spell this beautiful girl cast over the house of Maud. She laid her finger upon a purse of gold and wished, and, lo, the wonders of the magic carpet were repeated.

She had removed her veil, but he was not slow to perceive that she sat with her back to the long stretch of porch.

"Do you prefer this place to Armonville or the Paillard at Pre Catelan, Miss Guille?" he inquired, quite casually, but with a secret purpose.

"No, it is stupid here, as a rule, and common. Still every one goes to the other places in the afternoon, and I particularly wanted to be as naughty as possible, so I came here today."

"It doesn't strike me as especially naughty," he remarked.

"Are you going to take me up to the park?"

"Yes. Into the Shadows."

"Oh, that's good! I'm sure my imagination will work beautifully when it isn't subdued by all these blue devils. I—Que voulez vous? The question was directed rather sharply to a particularly deferential "blue devil" who stood at his elbow.

"M. Schmidt?"

"Yes. What's this? A letter! 'Pon my soul, how the deuce could any one'—He got no farther, for Miss Guille's action in pulling down her veil and the subsequent spasmodic glance over her shoulder betrayed such an agitated state of mind on her part that his own sensations were checked at the outset.

"There must be some one here who knows you, Mr. Schmidt," she said nervously. "See what it says, please—at once. I—perhaps we should be starting home immediately."

Robin tore open the envelope. A glance showed him that the brief note was from Gourou. A characteristic G served as a signature. As he read, a hard line appeared between his eyes

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and his expression grew serious.

"It is really nothing, Miss Guille," he said. "A stupid, alleged joke of a fellow who happens to know me, that's all."

"Who wrote that letter, Mr. Schmidt?" she demanded. Even through the veil he could see that her eyes were wide with—was it alarm or anger?

"A man named Gourou. He is a detective engaged on a piece of work for Mr. Totten."

"Is it a part of his duty to watch your movements?" she asked, leaning forward and reading the note.

"No. He is my friend, however," said Robin steadily. "According to this epistle, it would appear that it is a part of his duty to keep track of you, not me. May I ask why you should be shadowed by two of his kind?"

She did not answer at once. When she spoke it was with a determined effort to maintain her composure.

"I am sorry to have subjected you to all this, Mr. Schmidt. We will depart at once. I find that the cat is never away, so we can't be mice. What a fool I've been." There was something suspiciously suggestive of tears in her soft voice.

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AMMONS.

Go to Sunday School next Sunday. Mrs. Geo. Lewis visited Mrs. W. C. Dutschke Sunday.

W. H. Dutschke went to Louisville Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Grover Ballow visited Mr. and Mrs. John Morgan Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Brown visited Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Gedling Sunday.

Mrs. Will Ballow and daughter, Mrs. Myrtle Dallis, visited friends in Union Star Sunday.

Mrs. John Stewart is on the sick list. Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Robbins visited his mother in Union Star Sunday.

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Mrs. G. Drane and children visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Shrewsbury, of Mook, last Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. J. D. Aldridge and daughter, Miss Nettie, were in town last Tuesday shopping.

Miss Nancy Mae Bruington was the guest of Miss Nevah Milner Saturday.

Mesdames W. T. Macy, W. Payne, A. Weatherford and L. L. Bruington are on the sick list.

Rev. J. W. Hughes was in town Saturday en route to Kingswood to attend the commencement.

The Farmers Union met here last Thursday night.

Mr. and Mrs. V. G. Goodman and children and sister, Miss Frankie, spent Sunday at West View the guest of their parents.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Milner, who spent the winter with their son, P. D. Milner, returned to their home near Mook, Saturday.

Owen Perkins spent Saturday night with Leonard Macy.

The following motored to Kingswood Saturday night: Misses Ora Leigh Black, Nevah Milner, Cline Black, Dr. and Mrs. Mathews and Mrs. S. H.

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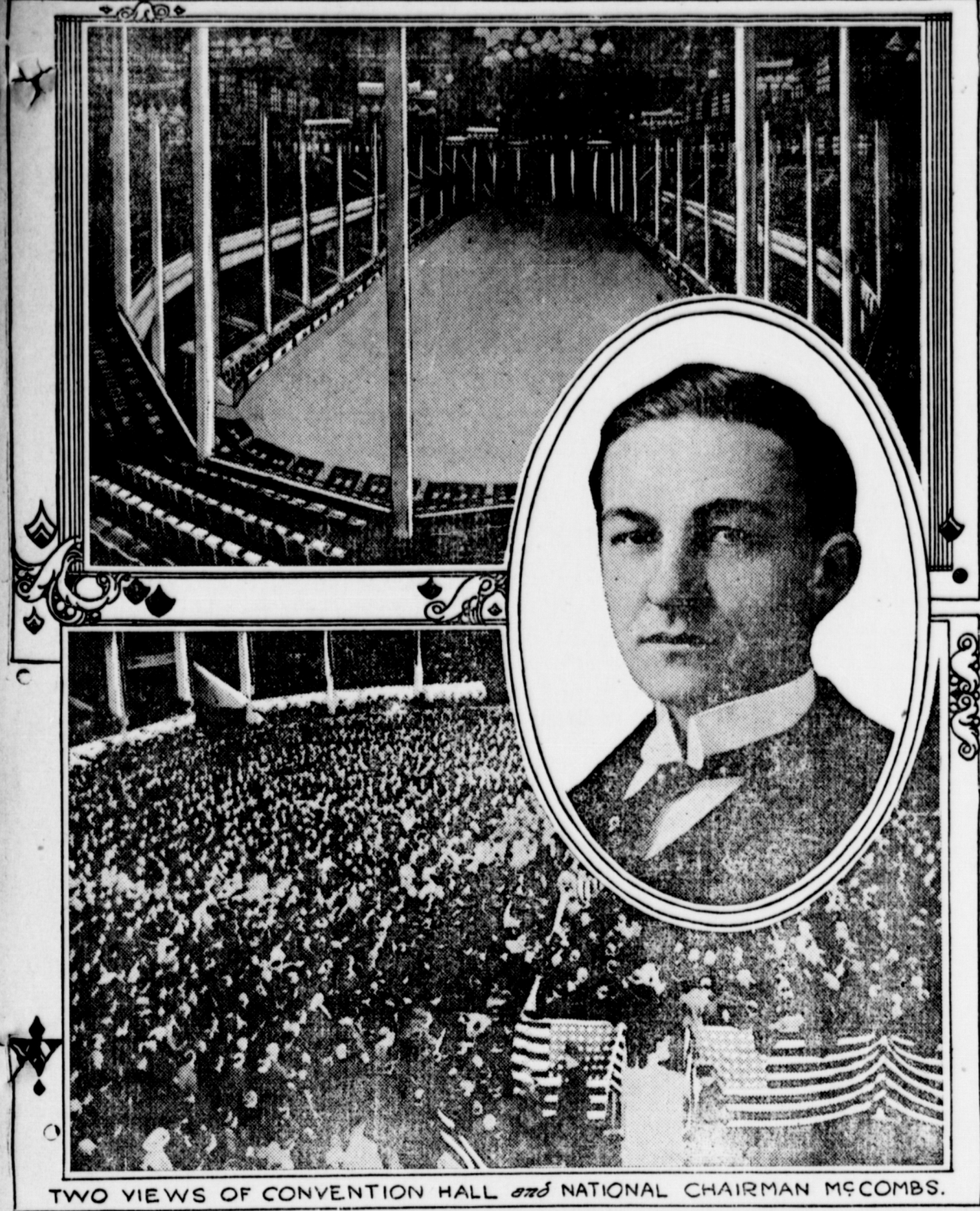
Mr. and Mrs. Ben Bruington visited Burton Basham Sunday.

Several from here attended the commencement at Kingswood.

Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Davis spent Sunday at Milt Davis.

Democrats to Name Wilson

Preparing For Big Convention



TWO VIEWS OF CONVENTION HALL AND NATIONAL CHAIRMAN McCOMBS.

It looks like a certainty that the name of Woodrow Wilson will be the only one seriously put forth as a candidate for president when the Democrats meet in national convention in St. Louis on June 14.

Incorporated in the call for the convention issued by William F. McCombs, chairman of the Democratic national committee, is the plank in the Democratic party's platform which was adopted at Baltimore providing for an expression of preference for presidential candidates and the selection of all delegates and alternates at primaries to be conducted by the party in such states as do not provide for these primaries by law.

Under this call there will be 1,088 delegates in the convention. Mr. McCombs is ex officio chairman of a committee on arrangements which is composed of members of the national committee.

There will be very few federal officeholders in the Democratic convention. This departure from the established practice of a president seeking a renomination is in accordance with the wishes of Mr. Wilson himself.

In the coming convention there will be not half a dozen men who hold federal offices. One of the considerations that actuated the president in declaring he would not seek a renomination was his determination to keep members of his cabinet and men he had appointed to office from active participation in the nominating convention.

The New York organization wanted to send as a delegate at large Secretary of the Treasury McAdoo, who is also a son-in-law of the president. The president discouraged this proposition. Speaker Clark has declined to be a delegate at large from Missouri, as has Third Assistant Postmaster General Dockery, who hails from the same state. Other federal officeholders also have declined the honor. The North Carolina Democrats wanted to send Secretary Daniels, but he has announced he will not accept. Postmaster General Burleson was also slated as a delegate from Texas, but he will not go.

In furtherance of the president's wish, members of the Democratic national committee have conferred with the leaders of their states, with the result that only men who do not hold office under the administration will be sent to St. Louis. A number of senators and representatives will, of course, figure prominently in the proceedings at St. Louis, but they are not to be regarded as members of the administration, as senators are elected directly by the people.

With the renomination of President Wilson assured it is agreed that the convention will be of short duration. It is unlikely that there will be contests of any kind. Harmony will be the keynote of the convention.

Of the coming convention Mr. McCombs has this to say: "President Wilson will be renominated without opposition. Not only was there not the slightest suggestion of opposition to him at the opening of congress and at the recent meeting of the committee, but the enthusiasm for the president was very marked. His renomination will come as the unquestioned expression of the entire party. I don't think the convention will last longer than three days."



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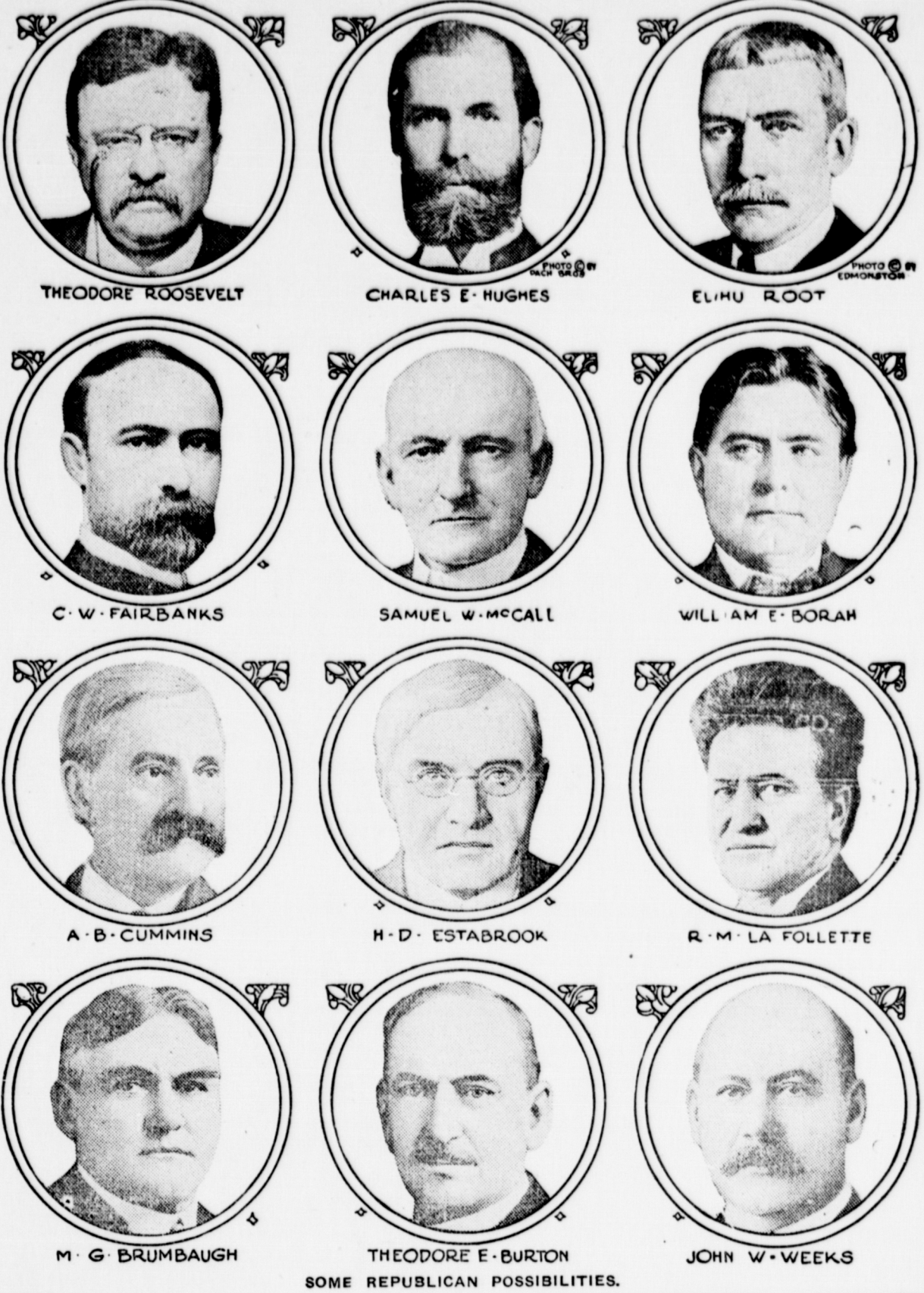
The Democratic national convention will be held in the new Coliseum, a building costing \$300,000 and having an actual seating capacity of 14,000 persons. The building is said to be one of the best ventilated and lighted convention halls in America. Its acoustic properties are especially good. It is three stories in height, and the arena has 50,000 square feet of floor space.

The Coliseum, which is less than a mile from the business center of St. Louis, should not be confused with the old Exposition hall, in which other national conventions in St. Louis have been held. The Coliseum is of fire-proof construction. It has an arena, an oval of boxes, an arena circle and a

balcony. The arena circle and the balcony are fitted with opera chairs, but the arena has movable chairs.

In the Democratic national convention 464 of the delegates will represent the old convention method and 624 the direct primary. The following table shows where the Democrats have held their conventions from the time of the first convention in 1832:

1832, May 26.....	Baltimore
1835, May 20.....	Baltimore
1840, May 5.....	Baltimore
1844, May 27.....	Baltimore
1848, May 22.....	Baltimore
1852, June 1.....	Baltimore
1856, June 2.....	Cincinnati
1860, April 23.....	Charleston
1864, June 18.....	Baltimore
1868, Aug. 29.....	Baltimore
1872, July 4.....	New York city
1876, July 9.....	Baltimore
1880, June 27.....	St. Louis
1884, June 22.....	Cincinnati
1888, July 10.....	Chicago
1892, June 6.....	St. Louis
1896, June 24.....	Chicago
1900, July 7.....	Chicago
1904, July 4.....	Kansas City
1908, July 6.....	St. Louis
1912, June 24.....	Denver
1916, June 24.....	Baltimore
1920, June 14.....	St. Louis



SOME REPUBLICAN POSSIBILITIES.

As the time set for the Republican national convention draws near there is the liveliest speculation as to who will be the man picked to make the fight against Woodrow Wilson. While there may be some doubt as to the Republican nominee, it seems to be pretty well assured that President Wilson will be tendered a renomination when the Democratic delegates assemble at St. Louis.

The Republican delegates will convene in the Coliseum in Chicago on June 7. Already the hotels are preparing for a great crowd. Soon the booms of favorite sons will re-echo through the corridors. While there are some men who look to have a big lead in the race for the nomination, some of the wisecracks are saying this is the year for a dark horse. There never was a convention in which, a few hours before the delegates met, there wasn't some talk of a dark horse. That's all there was—talk. The dark horse seldom looms dangerous when the balloting begins.

But that this year the race is more open than in any convention in recent years is evidenced by the statement of Charles D. Hilles, chairman of the

Republican national committee, who declared that the candidate "will be born in the convention."

The seating arrangement at the Coliseum will be much the same as it was four years ago, except that a thousand



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or more chairs are to be crowded in. The architect has blueprints showing that the seating capacity will be 12,500.

Alphabetically some of the Republican possibilities are as follows:

Borah, William E., of Idaho. Brumbaugh, Martin G., of Pennsylvania.

Burton, Theodore E., of Ohio. Cummins, Albert B., of Iowa.

Estabrook, Henry D., of New York. Fairbanks, Charles W., of Indiana.

Hughes, Charles E., of New York. La Follette, Robert M., of Wisconsin.

Mann, James R., of Illinois. McCall, Samuel W., of Massachusetts.

Roosevelt, Theodore, of New York. Root, Elihu, of New York.

Sherman, Lawrence V., of Illinois. Weeks, John W., of Massachusetts.

Roosevelt has been president and Fairbanks has been vice president. Hughes has been governor of New York and is associate justice of the supreme court. Mann is the leader of the Republican minority in the house of representatives. Brumbaugh and McCall are present governors of their states. Borah, Cummins, La Follette and Weeks are senators, and Fairbanks and Root have been so. McCall has had long experience in the house of representatives.

United States Senator Warren G. Harding of Ohio will be temporary chairman of the convention.



NATIONAL CHAIRMAN HILLES AND CROWD GATHERING AT COLISEUM

WHAT HAPPENS WHEN TWO COUNTRIES SEVER THEIR DIPLOMATIC RELATIONS

Such Action Does Not Mean That War Between the Nations Will Necessarily Follow, Although It Is a Step in That Direction.

Many Times in History Have There Been Disputes Which Resulted in Such Ruptures, Only to Be Smoothed Over by the Passing of Time.

WHAT does a "severance of diplomatic relations" really mean?

In the first place, it does not necessarily mean that war is to follow, but it is admitted on all sides that the breaking of such ties does represent a step nearer to actual warfare.

The discontinuance of diplomatic ties has occurred many times in history, but there is never any visible signs of what the step means. Of course there is always the hasty packing of diplomatic luggage, hasty farewells and quick departure. Safe conduct is always provided for ambassadors who have been recalled or handed their passports.

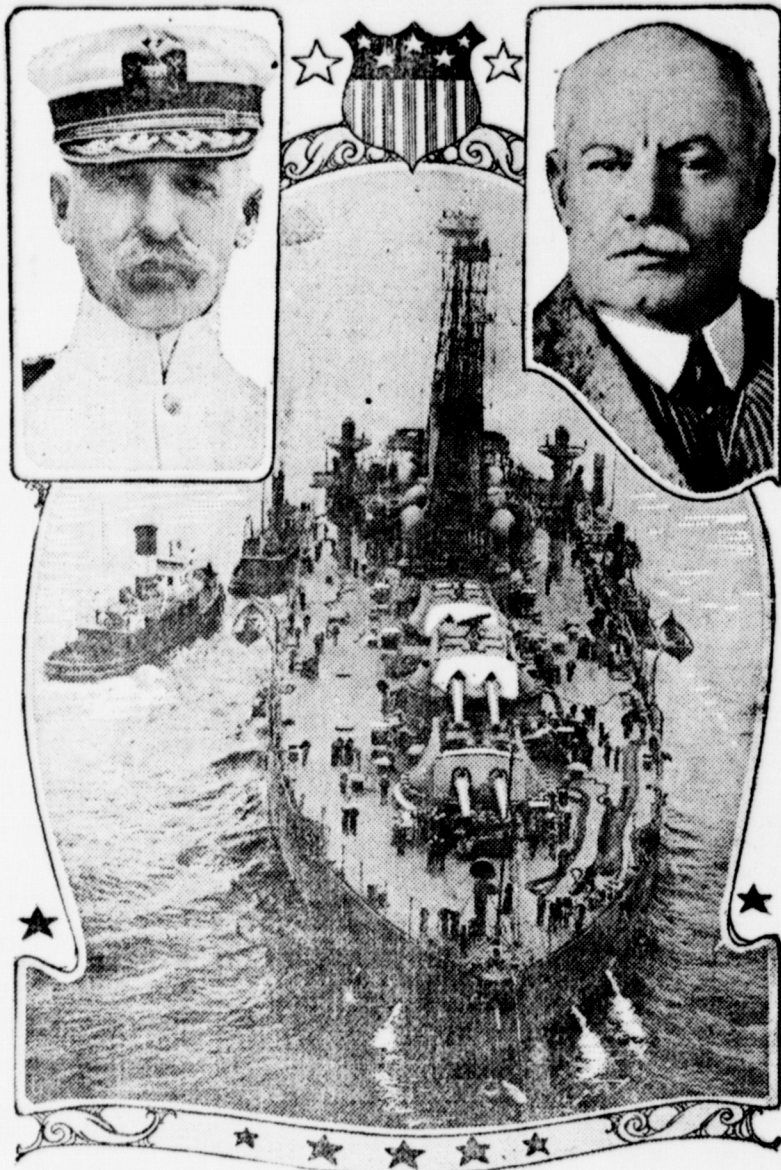
Treaties are not suspended; commercial relations, directly or indirectly, are not affected.

Sometimes in cases of the severance of such relations the consuls are sent home also, but this is not always the

carrying Americans, another sea tragedy, and the popular imagination would see "red." Reason—typified in the morality of international intercourse, the foundation stone of diplomatic relationship—would have failed. The alternative recourse to arms alone would remain, making the incidental quarrel of a belligerent with a neutral a casus belli.

Precedents Out of History.

Many precedents are available to the researcher, proving that a severance of diplomatic relations has not always brought on war. Peru and Chile are today without diplomatic representation at Santiago and Lima, respectively. After the execution of Emperor Maximilian, an Austrian archduke, at Queretaro, Mexico, in 1867, diplomatic relations with Mexico were broken by Austria-Hungary and so remained for more than thirty years. Recently the United States and Mexico severed off-



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GENERAL HUGH L. SCOTT, CHIEF OF STAFF (RIGHT); ADMIRAL WILLIAM S. BENSON, CHIEF OF NAVAL OPERATIONS (LEFT), AND THE SUPERDREADNAUGHT TEXAS.

case, as these are not diplomatic officers, but commercial representatives. Communications end; the two nations "stop speaking to each other" in very much the same manner as our children snub their former friends when they pass on the streets.

It was said before the present crisis with Germany that such interests as caring for American archives or Americans remaining in Germany would be entrusted by the United States to another neutral—Spain, Holland or Sweden. Germany would probably give her interests over to her ally Austria, and if by chance diplomatic relations between this country and the dual monarchy were interrupted Sweden might be asked to care for Teutonic affairs.

The vital thing for Germany would be the sudden unloading by the United States of the task—graciously assumed at the outbreak of the war and maintained with considerable effort and painstaking care since then—of handling of German interests in Great Britain, Russia, France, Serbia and Japan. German prisoners of war have benefited by American supervision. Of course the United States would have to relinquish similarly her connection with British, French, Russian, Belgian, Serbian and Japanese interests in Germany. Some other neutral country—perhaps Argentina—would take over the burden.

The Peril of Ensuing War.

So much for the visible characteristics of a break in relations. They are so few and comparatively so unimportant as to imply a certain futility of procedure when the objects to be attained are considered. There is, however, a greater and much more impressive side to the step which would make it a cause for grave thought, a moment of apprehension as well as of genuine sorrow. It would send through the world a thrill of excitement—a sensation of expectancy—because the breaking of diplomatic relations has in so many cases been the precursor of war. Another attack on unresisting vessels

cial diplomatic relations, and, while the Vera Cruz affair may impair the value of the precedent so far as this government is concerned, certainly the disconnection by Argentina, Brazil and Chile and later by several European governments of diplomatic relations with any government in Mexico reveals how in some cases the action is simply passive and without bellicose tendency.

Would Confiscate No Property.

No confiscation of property, however, is possible even were a state of war to ensue as between the United States and Germany, for the Prussian-American treaty of 1823 specifically provides for the protection of private property in the event of war. Ships might, however, be requisitioned, though at the end of the war the obligation to return them to original owners would still be alive.

Technically the United States would still be bound to preserve her neutrality. But whether neutrality would become thereafter "benevolent," being thereafter converted by circumstances into open partiality, is something which may prove the very deterrent of hostile or unfriendly acts on the part of German submarine commanders.

Unquestionably the significance of discontinuing diplomatic relations would be chiefly moral. That would be its enduring effect. The United States would be in the position of having outlawed a great government with which throughout history she had been on terms of peace and amity. The fundamental cause of the withdrawal by America of her recognition of the existence of a German government in the world would be the latter's alleged disregard of international law and the higher laws of humanity, prerequisites always to international morality. The United States would not recognize the German government as in existence any more than it did the rule of one Huerta and his so called government. Diplomatically their status would be on a par.

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IRVINGTON.

Go to Sunday School next Sunday.

Miss Georgia Wilson, of Bewleyville, has been the guest of Miss Ila Payne.

Mrs. John Livers, of Basin Springs, was the week-end guest of Mr. and Mrs. George Board.

Mrs. J. A. Laybort, of Waterloo, Iowa, who has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. John Ater, left Saturday for Lodiburg.

Mrs. Doc Chapin spent Saturday in Cloverport.

Miss Beulah Webb, of Tell City, visited Miss Jessie Lee Foote last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Glasscock spent the week-end in Glen Dean.

Miss Hazel Admire, of Louisville, visited Misses Mabel and Nella Adkins last week.

Lon Cowley, John Wimp, Dave Henry and Miss Eula Neafus motored to Brandenburg Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Manuel Brooks are visiting in Eldorado, Ill.

Mrs. L. V. Chapin, of Cloverport, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. John Miles.

Johnnie Bucher, of Madisonville, was in town Saturday.

Ed Howe, of Louisville, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Britte.

Mrs. Carl Vickers spent Saturday with Mrs. Marshall Morris at Hawesville.

Lewis Bennett Moorman and Harry Smith motored to Guston Friday evening, and accompanied Misses Pauline and Mary Edna Smith to see "The Dear Boy Graduate."

Mesdames J. T. Mattingly, Ed McAfee, A. T. Adkins and Robert Glasscock were in Louisville last week.

Miss Irene Rice, of Tennessee, is visiting Mrs. Durwood Wroe.

Misses Maggie Cowley and Eula Neafus will visit in West Point and Louisville this week.

Percy Foote, of Bewleyville, attended the High School play Friday evening.

W. C. Moorman, of Glen Dean, attended the Fifth Sunday Meeting.

Fairleigh Herndon is visiting Mr. and Mrs. James Mallin at Lexington.

Misses Ora Hendrick, Angie Gibson and Elizabeth Baxter have gone to their homes, after finishing their school work.

Rev. J. E. Meng motored from Hardinsburg Saturday in his prize, Maxwell, and gave the Irvington preachers a joy ride. He attended the Fifth Sunday Meeting.

Paul Wilson joined a party of Hardinsburg friends on the excursion to Louisville Saturday.

Mr. Roberts, a traveling man of Chattanooga, Tenn., has been at the Biggs House for the past two weeks.

A number of our citizens attended the funeral of Mrs. Clyde Carville at Glen Dean Wednesday.

Miss Blanche Jolly, of Bewleyville, visited Misses Eva Carrigan and Ellen Munford last week.

Dr. E. A. Lex, of Hardinsburg, was in town Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Bland will move into Julius Sippel's property on Main street Wednesday.

Bion Jolly arrived from Chicago, Ill., Sunday to spend a week with his mother, Mrs. Sue Jolly. Friends are delighted to have Bion with them.

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After all the most natural beauty in the world is honesty and moral truth. For all beauty is truth. True features make the beauty of the face; and true proportions the beauty of architecture; as true measures that of harmony and music.—Shattessbury.

Go to Sunday School next Sunday.

Miss Jessie Hudson's class will give the play, "How the Vote Was Won," preceded by a short miscellaneous program at the hall Friday evening.

Miss Margaret Peyton has gone to Elizabethtown to be the guest of Miss Lilyan Beard.

Mrs. A. N. Skillman and Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Skillman were in Louisville shopping last week.

Ed Shellman, of Irvington, made a visit to town last Friday.

Misses Ruth, Mary Ann and Martha Harned spent Sunday at Harned with their cousin, Mrs. H. B. Moorman and Mr. Moorman.

Mrs. Walter Brown returned to her home in Woodrow Sunday after a visit to her mother, Mrs. A. X. Kincheloe.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert McGary entertained at their home near Kirk Saturday evening. The following from here were in attendance: Misses Annie O'Reilly, Shelia Pool, Margaret Ryan, Katie Kennedy, Agnes Jarboe, Margaret and Mary Sheeran, Leo Hoben, Guy Elder and Mrs. Preston Jarboe.

Claude Mercer was in Louisville on legal business last week.

Miss Irene McGary spent Saturday and Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank McGary, near Kirk.

Mrs. Ely Mattingly died at her home Thursday morning at ten o'clock, and was buried Friday morning at Long Lick.

John O'Reilly, Jr., and Francis Dillon are making out the 1916 tax books.

Mrs. John Akers entertained Saturday afternoon a number of girls in

honor of her daughter, Florence.

Mrs. Preston Jarboe, of Evansville, is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Kennedy, on the pike.

Miss Helen Whittinghill, of Glen Dean, was in town shopping Saturday.

M. D. Beard attended the Gun Club in Louisville Saturday.

Dr. and Mrs. J. S. Shoemaker, of Kingswood, were visitors in town Friday.

J. O. Hook, proprietor of the Brick Hotel, has returned from Louisville.

Herbert Tower has returned from Birds Eye, Ind.

Mrs. H. M. Beard was in Louisville last week to see the Birth of a Nation.

Mrs. Ken Rhodes is the guest of relatives in Owensboro.

Dr. R. P. Kunnecke was called to Hardin county Saturday.

Mrs. Marcus Mattingly, of Kirk, has been the guest of her mother, Mrs. Sheeran.

Mrs. Lela McCubbin and daughter, Miss Ruth McCubbin, have taken rooms with Mrs. Mary C. Heston, and will do light housekeeping.

Mrs. John E. Kincheloe has returned from a visit to relatives and friends in Cloverport.

C. G. Brabandt, the photographer, will be in this city Saturday.

Mrs. J. M. Skillman has returned from Elizabethtown, where she was the guest of her father, C. L. Beard and Mrs. Beard.

Mrs. Herbert Hook and baby spent last week in the country with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roe Hook.

Mrs. T. J. Hook, Howard and Russell Hook, Miss Martine Monarch, Miss Lottie Bandy, Miss Patsy Gray, Mrs. Eli Potts, Mrs. Belle Smith, J. T. Smith went on the excursion to Louisville Saturday.

Miss Tula Daniel was the guest of friends at Kingswood Sunday.

Rev. J. W. Hughes, of Wilmore, has been the guest of friends in town and at Kingswood.

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SAMPLE

Miss Alma Roberts was in town shopping Tuesday.

Mrs. Orb Robbins' friends are glad to know she is improving at this writing.

Mrs. Will Jolly and daughter, Miss Maud, visited Mrs. Sallie Bennett, of

Stephensport, one day this week.

Mrs. J. H. Miller is on the sick list. Mrs. Owen Roberts was the guest of Mrs. Orb Robbins Tuesday.

Misses Katie Brumfield, Irene Wiedman and Mary Miller spent the afternoon with Miss Permelia Shellman Wednesday.

Mrs. J. S. Peckinpaugh visited in town Wednesday.

Miss Hellen Hawkins and sister was in town shopping one day this week.

The Girls Club met with Miss Mary Logan Jolly Saturday evening.

Walter Brown is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Brown.

Donald Eskridge was on the train one day this week en route to Louisville.

It never gets too cool for people to fish at the Falls of Sinking Creek.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Basham and daughter, Eva, and Miss Mary B. Shellman spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Gibson.

Miss Katie Brumfield was the pleasant guest of her aunt, Mrs. Jesse Miller, recently.

A good crowd attended Sunday School Sunday.

Next Sunday is our regular church day.

Mrs. N. Brumfield and daughters, Bessie and Katie, spent Saturday with Mrs. J. H. Miller.

Murray Laslie is a hustling junk dealer.

Jesse Walls was in town buying wool Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Abe Hawkins were in town shopping Saturday.

J. F. Miller was in Stephensport Saturday. He says the town is booming.

Owen Basham, of Cloverport, is the guest of his mother.

Miss Lucy Jolly is visiting her sister, Mrs. H. C. Gibson, this week.

Dan Dowell was in town Sunday.

Owen Laslie spent Sunday with his parents.

Wm. Shellman and Guy Gibson were in Mystic Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Gibson spent Sunday with her mother, Mrs. S. Jarret, of Stephensport.

Mrs. Nat Basham is very ill at this writing.

Miss Georgia Robbins was in town Saturday.

Wm. Gibson spent last Saturday with his aunt, Miss Eva Basham.

Mrs. Kate Dowell was the guest of Mrs. Nat Basham Saturday.

Mrs. Hattie Laslie entertained a number of friends Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. J. S. Jolly is very much improved.

J. H. Miller is on the sick list.

Misses Irene Wiedman, Permelia Shellman and Georgia Robbins, of near here, spent Saturday at Sample.

For any itchiness of the skin, for skin rashes, chaps, pimples, etc., try Doan's Ointment. 50c at all drug stores.